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TEXAN'S LIFE DEMANDED BY PHILADELPHIA

SHORT STORIES

Facts With Flaws, Facetions and Otherwise.
By "S. S."

Dams.
Cover the cistern.
Cue-FEW followers are.
YMBL banquet tonight, 7:30.
The building boom here sounds like
a bass drum.
Car drivers answered the curtain
call yesterday.

Thanks for that 15 per cent insurance
credit, LaRose.

No danger of Neff winning that
court bill, says Mayor Logan. His
honor acted as campaign manager for
the governor for Port Arthur. He
ought to know.

J. W. VanDyke, president of the
Atlantic Refining company, makes
only \$96,600 a year. Owing to this
fact it is not expected he'll move to
Port Arthur until he gets a raise in
pay.

"You don't need a mosquito expert
as long as I'm engineer Ervin's on
the job," says R. E. Torbett, U. S.
expert. Ervin formerly was with the
state health service as a conductor of
wars on the malaria pest.

Now they're saying that Sam
Schmink and Roy Stump should have
said something about the "three-mile-
limit" and "ships that pass and STOP
in the night" in those invitations to
Texas Rotarians to visit Port Arthur.

Transmarine's ready to add more
ships to Port Arthur's service than will
visit Houston and some of those other
"inland toys" in a month's time.
Samuel MacClurkin, vice president,
says Transmarine will fit its entire fleet
of 38 vessels into Port Arthur-New
ark service if necessary.

Some of the boys are drawing a
petition to present to the county
commissioners asking that a buried
wire fence be stretched on either side
of the Port Arthur-Bettum road
to keep the gulls out of the ditch. One
Proctor street business man got such
a good bath the other day that he
says he's ashamed to face water
again.

RUHR RUSTING UNDER SEIZURE

Life Mashed Out of coal
Industries

VICTORY FOR FRANCE?

50,000 Out of Work But Yet
There is No Submission

(Copyright, 1923, by United Press.)
DUISBURG, Feb. 27.—Rust
falls upon mile, a rusted network of
railways, roundhouses filled with
rusted locomotives, cars with rusting
wheels on silent sidings—that is the
most striking, the most tell-tale evi-
dence of the success or failure of
the occupation of the Ruhr. It is
more informative than any official in-
terview or statistic.

On an automobile ride through a
dozen or more Ruhr towns, I ob-
served the extension of the red rust
which marks the creeping paralysis
overcoming the nervous system of the
great industrial organism. One by one
the tall smokestacks, everywhere
hiding the horizon, are ceasing the
smoke as the paralysis reaches them.

Idleness on Increase

Already fifty thousand persons are
idle in the Ruhr valley and their num-
ber will increase from now on in a
growing ratio. Hundreds of thou-
sands of others are engaged in non-
productive work. Raw material and
stocks are fast diminishing, meaning
that the factories must soon shut
down.

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sis shows the success of Franco-Belgian
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GULFPORT CLUB OPENS QUARTERS

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 27.—Charles
B. Warren, ambassador to Japan will
submit his resignation formally within
a day or two, he announced after
a conference with President Harding
today at the White House. Warren
said he would ask that it be
accepted at once.

He refused to have the cistern re-
paired or repaired. There is, how-
ever, an iron-clad city ordinance
against just such cisters.

"Mr. Towle wept on to point out
that the solution to Port Arthur's
mosquito danger was a campaign of
education to do away with rusty, open
cisters.

HOMESICK, TEXAS PEN ESCAPE SURRENDERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 27.—John
W. McClung, 29, who declared
he still has two years to serve in
the Eastman state pen farm in Texas
as for forgery, surrendered to police
here late yesterday.

The youth said he was tired of
trying to beat the law and wanted
to finish his sentence.

"I'm homesick for my mother
down in Texas," McClung told the of-
ficers. "I want to go back, get it
over with and then go home to her."

BROTHER OF FRANKLIN SCHOOL TEACHER DIES

Word has been received by friends
here that Joe Stanford, Jr., brother
of Miss Vera Stanford, member of the
Franklin school faculty, had died at
his home in Greenville, Texas, Thurs-
day.

Miss Stanford was at her broth-
er's bedside at the deathbed, having
been called to Greenville during the
earlier part of last week.

DALLAS HAS FIRST CASE OF BERI-BERI

DALLAS, Feb. 27.—What is
believed to be the first case of
beri-beri ever encountered here was
being treated at a local hospital to-
day. A sailor who recently landed
at Galveston after an extended cruise
from China through tropical seas
was the patient. The disease is much
dreaded in China, Japan and the
Philippines.

KELLY-FLYERS TO HOP
OFF FOR PORTO RICO

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Feb. 27.—Six big
airplanes will take the air at Kelly
Field on the morning of March 1
in a flight to Porto Rico and to
Washington. D. C. The planes will
be under the command of Captain J.
S. Lathrop, 40; Fort Hill, Okla.

The trip will cover approximately
6,000 miles on the trip.

FAIR AND COLDER

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight and
Wednesday, generally fair; colder to-
night.

East Texas: Tonight generally
fair; colder, frost in the interior of
most parts before clear, Wednesday
generally fair.

Winds on Texas Coast: Moderate to
fresh northerly.

Maximum temperature: 71; mini-
mum temperature: 47; precipitation:
1.64 inches.

Year Ago today: Maximum temper-
ature 65; minimum 40.

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WARM RAIN BENEFITS CROPS IN WEST TEXAS

SAN ANGELO, Texas, Feb. 27.—
Warm, steady rain was falling in
West Texas today, ineffectually benefit-
ting crop conditions.

Three and six-tenths inches fell
here, making the wettest February
recorded here since records have been
kept, thirteen years.

LICENSE TO OWN HALF COST OF DOG LICENSE

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Marriage
licenses cost \$1.50, and dog licenses
\$3.00, County Treasurer Carl said,
ranging raised the price on marriage
licenses to \$3.00. He said any man
should be willing to pay as much as
\$4.00 for a wife then a dog.

TIDE RECORD

Tides of high and low water at Gal-
veston Bay, high under normal condi-
tions on Wednesday, Feb. 28; 20 feet
above normal, predicted by the U. S.
Geodetic Survey.

High tides 1:13 p.m., 2:41 p.m.,
Low tides 8:46 a.m., 7:13 p.m.

Corpse Missing In Waco Funeral

NEFF WILL HEAD TEXAS U. RUMOR

In Any Event Governor to
Complete Term

BENEDICT PRO TEM

Vinson to Go to Western Re-
serve U. July 1

By United Press.

AUSTIN, Feb. 27.—While neither Governor Neff nor the board of regents of the University of Texas has made any official announcement, reports persist that the governor will be elected president of the university to succeed Dr. R. E. Vinson, resigned. It is known, however, that in the event the governor accepts the appointment he will finish out his term as the state's executive and would not become the head of the state's highest institution of learning until early in 1925. Governor Neff began his second term of two years on January 16, of this year.

Stark Seen Neff

H. J. Lutcher Stark, of Orange, chairman of the board of regents, was in a lengthy conference with the governor last night, and reports are that the presidency of the university was discussed.

Belief is expressed not only in the state capitol but in university circles that Governor Neff after expiration of his term will accept the presidency, and that in the mean while, Professor H. Y. Benedict, dean of the university, will act in behalf of the institution, dating from July 1 next when Dr. Vinson is to become president of the Western Reserve University at Cleveland, Ohio.

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Warren said he had finished the
work that he had been sent to ac-
complish in Japan and desired to return
to his private affairs.

The president is expected to name
his successor this week.

P.A.B. College Students
To Yell For Cagers

Port Arthur Business college stu-
dents are scheduled to stage a public
"pep meeting" on the corner of
Proctor street and Austin avenue
this afternoon as a send-off for the
basketball team of the institution,
setting out tonight for a four-day
contest in Louisiana. Dr. W. E.
Callahan, president of the college
today.

Marching from the business college
to the Austin-Proctor corner, with
the school's colors flying, the cheering
students will "rouse the neighborhood"
with their yell and songs. Dr.
Callahan said, "This 'pep meet' will
be the first of its kind ever staged
by the students, body, it is said.

OFFICIALS HERE

Transmarine Corporation
Head in Port

Henry R. Carre, president of the
Transmarine Corporation, and Sam-
uel MacClurkin, vice president, spent
the day in Port Arthur inspecting
dock facilities and meeting local ship-
pers.

The Transmarine has been main-
taining regular sailings out of Port
Arthur every two weeks since the
first of the year. It is expected that
a through tariff will be put in force
by the line early in March and that
this will add materially to shipments
between Port Arthur and Port New-
ark.

With this in mind, President Carre
and Vice President MacClurkin are
making their trip to Port Arthur to
acquaint themselves with conditions
here.

Probe Wreck in Which
2 Die, 15 Are Injured

CALDWELL, Ga., Feb. 27.—A grand jury today was ordered to in-
vestigate the wreck of the "Dixie
Flyer" on the Nashville, Chattanooga
and St. Louis railroad in which two
persons were killed and fifteen injured.

Judge M. C. Tarver ordered the
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Search for Slayer Leads Of-
ficers to Booze Factory

Three hundred gallons of mash,
carefully tucked away in six 50-gal-
lon barrels, was destroyed by Chief
of Police Word, Detective Dick
Parsley and Special Officer Wes
Plummer. A still found along with
the mash, was captured and taken to
headquarters.

The destruction and seizure was
made when the officers were out on
the road between El Vista and Ne-
derland searching for "Chocolate
Drop." Fritz Simmons, wanted for
killing here Friday. The mash
and the still was found in an old
deserted house.

"Nobody was home," the chief
explained, "but when they get back
they'll know we called."

The still, a clean, modern-equipped
outfit, was of 50-gallon capacity.

Corn, already chopped, was lying
near in a clean container.

STAR ON FIRE

Celestial Runaway Now of
First Magnitude

PARIS, Feb. 27.—The star Beta-
Pisces is burning up and has suddenly
become the first magnitude, as
astronomers announced here today.

Camille Flammarion, famous
French astronomer, confirmed re-
ports to this effect from Athens.

Salvation Army Girl Evangelist Jo Give Flappers New Thrill

By United Press.

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can girl"—the greatest thrill of all,

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yesterday.

She is the first American girl to
have been invited to speak at a
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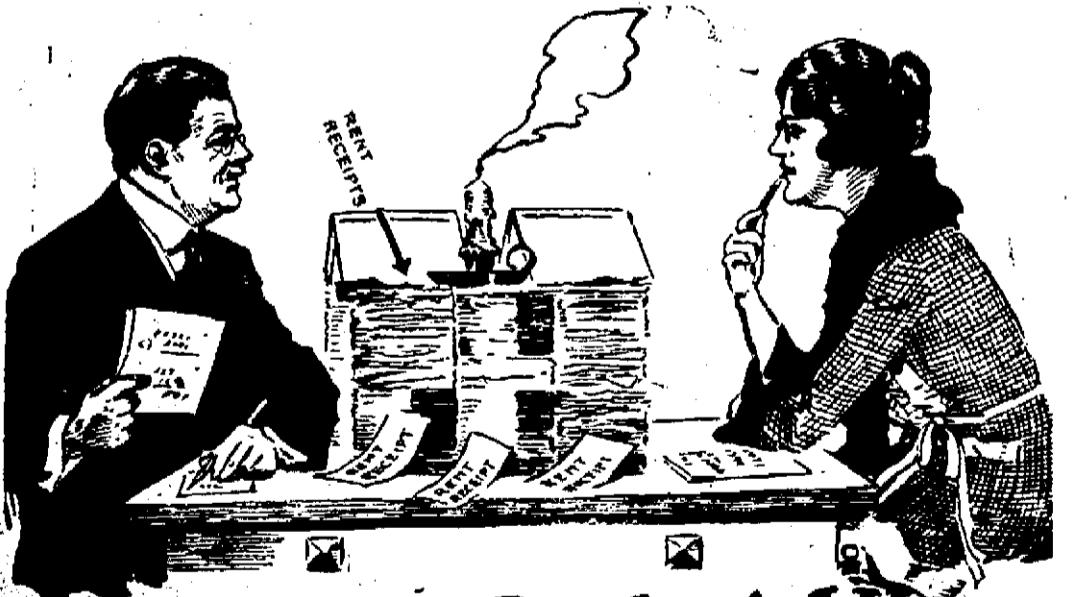
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Building permits for the past week totalled \$515,136.

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Here are the permits taken on the past week:

P. A. School, \$208,000; B. Sacks and J. W. Williams, \$37,000; Tony Colichia, 502 Twelfth, \$1,200; C. M. Root, 1210 Eighteenth, \$1,150; A. Gibson, 2210 Fourteenth, \$2,000; J. D. Connors, 1428 Stilwell, \$1,750; N. W. Drangham, 2828 Thirteenth, \$1,750; G. E. Baker, 1028 Seventeenth, \$1,600; H. DeJean, 3221 Sixteenth, \$2,150; J. E. Davis, 2126 Tenth, \$1,200; J. E. Davis, 750 Thomas, \$1,200; H. E. Brinkman, 636 Procter, garage, \$1,500; David Todd, 523 Vietsburg, \$1,700; J. D. Mingie, 1928 Seventh, \$2,000; Mike Murphy, 402 Houston Avenue, \$1,600; W. E. Thompson, 1635 Fourteenth, \$1,500; Robt. McNatty, 433

440 Austin Ave.

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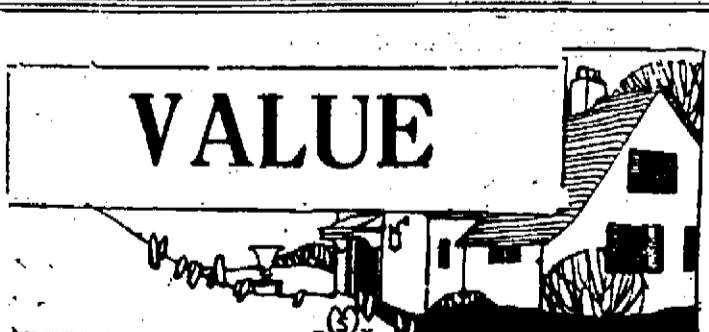
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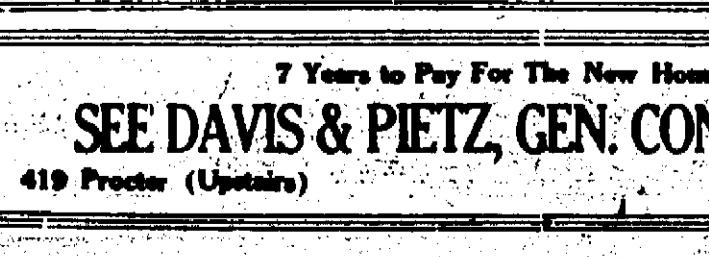


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HOME



porch. An outstanding feature in this room is its paneled wainscoting stained oak. This is a wall treatment that is not exorbitantly expensive and never needs replacement. The living room cannot help being like, even when vacant, for it so has a room-end of bookcases, a window seat, and a honey fire place, opposite which is an interesting alcove on the inside wall.

Light Kitchen
There is a large, light kitchen, with windows on two sides to keep cool and free from odors and steam, and there is plenty of space for sink, range, dressers and worktable. Only a raised opening separates it from the dining alcove, where five people may be seated. Upstairs, the three corner bedrooms are supplied with clothes closets, and one also has a built-in closet, replacing a chiffonier in the room.

FOR THE WEEK

Eleventh, \$1,800; A. A. Keel, \$28 Fourteenth, \$1,800; N. W. Langford, \$1010 Seventeenth, \$1,300; Stoddard, \$33 W. Eleventh, \$1,500; A. Craig, \$1018 Fourteenth, \$1,500; Mitchell Young, \$1036 Seventeenth, \$1,500; R. D. Dutton, \$1020 Seventeenth, \$2,500; Dr. E. W. Vaughan, \$2,500; J. M. Key, \$1008 Thirteenth, \$2,500; Miss Neely, \$1,236 Sixth, \$1,000; Clyde Allen, \$1000; \$1,500; N. J. Duplantis, \$1,235 Thirteenth, \$2,000; Geo. W. Drane, \$101 Lake Shore, \$1,000; Dr. J. Landry, \$10 Waco, \$1,000; Dr. G. Gilden, \$24 Lake Shore, \$2,000; Emil Gautreaux, \$2,000; Fourth, \$2,000; R. E. Porter, \$1,111 Sixteenth, \$2,000; Ransom Branner, \$1028 Eighth, \$2,500; C. V. Palmer, 300 Augusta Avenue, \$5,000 apartment house; P. J. Justice, \$28 Fourteenth, \$2,000.

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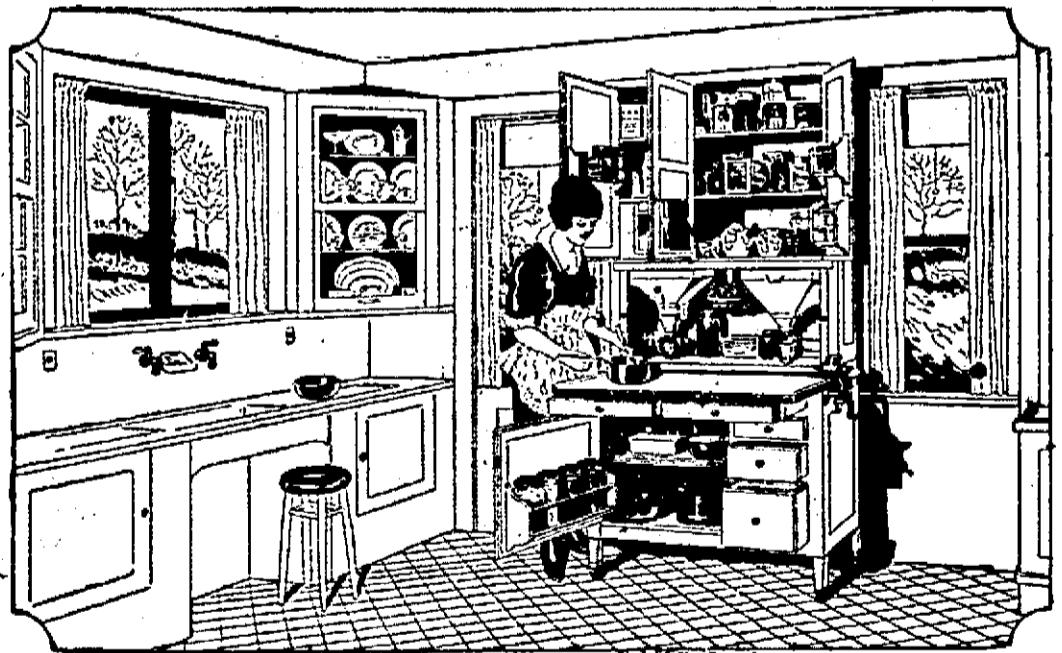
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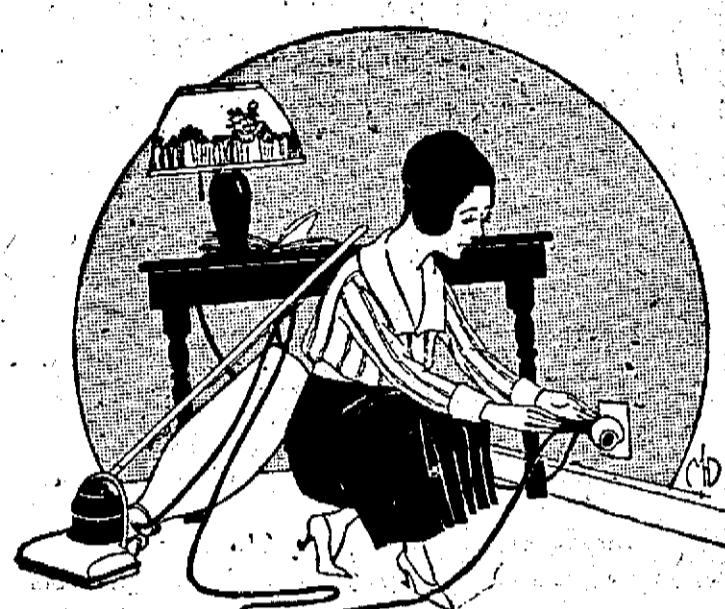
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The Port Arthur News Page of Sports

**Hope
Be Produced
At Week-end Bout**

**Wilde vs. Gennaro Capable of
Great Showdown—Wilde, First Game, meets for the American lightweight
Championship.**

By HENRY L. FARRELL
NT. YORK, Feb. 27.—Another world's ring champion for the United States is to be produced Friday night in Madison Square Garden, when Tommie Wilde and Tony Gennaro meet for the American lightweight championship.

Wilde Wins the New Filipino, or Gennaro, a fighting little Italian boy, ready to whip Tommy Wilde, the Welshman, who holds the world title at 122 pounds.

A necessary part of the ceremony incidental to the drawing of a ring card is to get the wearer into the ring, and that may be a problem. Wilde is more than willing, it seems, however; he is said to have signed three contracts, but it may take a year of legal dithering to clear the situation.

The Rickard claims he has an agreement with Wilde to meet the winner of the bout this summer in the Yankee stadium. Tom O'Rourke maintains Wilde has accepted terms to fight for him at the Polo Grounds, and Steve Donzell, who made matches for the Brooklyn baseball club last summer, has his contract to fight Wilde.

It is almost a foregone conclusion that Wilde will defend his title, because his dislike for money is even less than that of Mr. Harry Lander, who the promoters so hight-handedly will part with one of his arms. Wilde has been inactive ever since he was knocked out by Pete Herman, two years ago. He has been away from the ring so long—in fact that the British boxer board declared him to be the champion no longer, and passed the title to Belquin, a little Belgian fighter.

ORDERED FROM RING
DETROIT, Feb. 27.—Evert Hammer, Chicago lightweight, was ordered out of the ring in the sixth round of his fight with Bill Barbash because he refused to fight.

BEATS STEVE ADAMS
LYNN, Mass., Feb. 27.—Young Kenoyer, Derby, New Hampshire, won an 8-round decision from Steve Adams, Milwaukee.

CHICAGO, Feb. 27.—Jack Malone, St. Paul, scored a technical knockout in the sixth round of a scheduled ten-round bout over Johnny Klesch, Cleveland.

PASADENA, Calif., Feb. 27.—Charlie Paddock, world's fastest sprinter, has little use for the eastern critics who have been trying to discredit his records and belittle his performances.

These eastern fellows are continually demanding that western sprinters should come to their own districts to race them," declared Paddock today. "They seem to be laboring under the delusion that the only place a championship can be won is in their own section."

"None of the eastern stars have ever dared to come west. They have done their running in their own back yards. Jack Scholz is an exception, for he has starred in the middle west, Sweden, France and at Antwerp."

"Morris Kirksey complied with the easterners' demand for races in their own sections. He went east and beat them. Now they want him and others to come and do it again. Kirksey has defeated every eastern runner excepting Robert McAllister, and he has never met him. If the eastern runners will not come west and run, Kirksey will go east and run them there again."

RIVERS KNOCKED OUT
INDIANAPOLIS, Feb. 27.—Jimmy Dalton knocked out Ray Rivers in four rounds.

FIGHT A DRAW.
BIRMINGHAM, Alabama, —Tim O'Dowd, Atlanta, and Jimmy Proto, Paterson, N. J., bantams, fought ten rounds to a draw here last night.

BESTS SHIFTY LOGAN.
MEMPHIS, Tenn. —Gene Matella, welterweight, scored a technical knockout over Shifty Logan in the seventh round. Both are local men.

TAKE DISTRICT TITLE
VICTORIA, Texas, Feb. 27.—Patti Welder, high school basketball team, defeated the Port O'Connor team yesterday by a score of 16 to 11. The game was interesting and hard fought. The score at the end of the first half was 12 to 6 in favor of Victoria. In the last half the Port O'Connor team played unusually hard, but was unable to secure the big end of the score.

In winning this game Patti Welder is the undisputed champion of this inter-scholastic district, which includes Jackson, De Witt, Cuthorn, Refugio and Victoria counties.

Jockey Touted As
Another Tod Sloan

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 27.—Johnny Corcoran, 92-pound jockey, who is still in the apprentice class, is rapidly becoming the sensation of the turf regardless of the fact that he has not been riding the bangtails long enough to win his spurs.

Four years ago Johnny was the prime-winning student at New Orleans, but he literally slid out of school on a rope and landed on the track, with the result that he is now riding for Moe Goldblatt and is expected to wind up the season on the New Orleans track with a record for winning mounts. He hopefully won first honors at Latonia during the season recently closed, although he rode his first winning mount, Cho Cho, on Sept. 30, 1922. One day Johnny, prime student and their singer, who was a model of deportment according to his instructors, was being prepared for confirmation. Suddenly the teachers heard a muffled clang of the great bell whose rope runs down through a shaft in the choir loft, and saw Johnny climbing down on the rope. At a signal he was suspended for two weeks before he was confirmed.

During the two weeks' layoff Johnny went out to the race track and begged for a chance to help wash the horses. He was a likable little fellow, with an Irish smile that won the hearts of the stablemen. And a few days later, to his great delight, he was permitted to ride some of the more gentle horses. This resulted in Johnny, who was soon to be school and was suspended, but just a few days later, with the consent of his adopted mother, who had a total of six children to care for, he was apprenticed to Al Hodges, a jockey, which still has two years to run.

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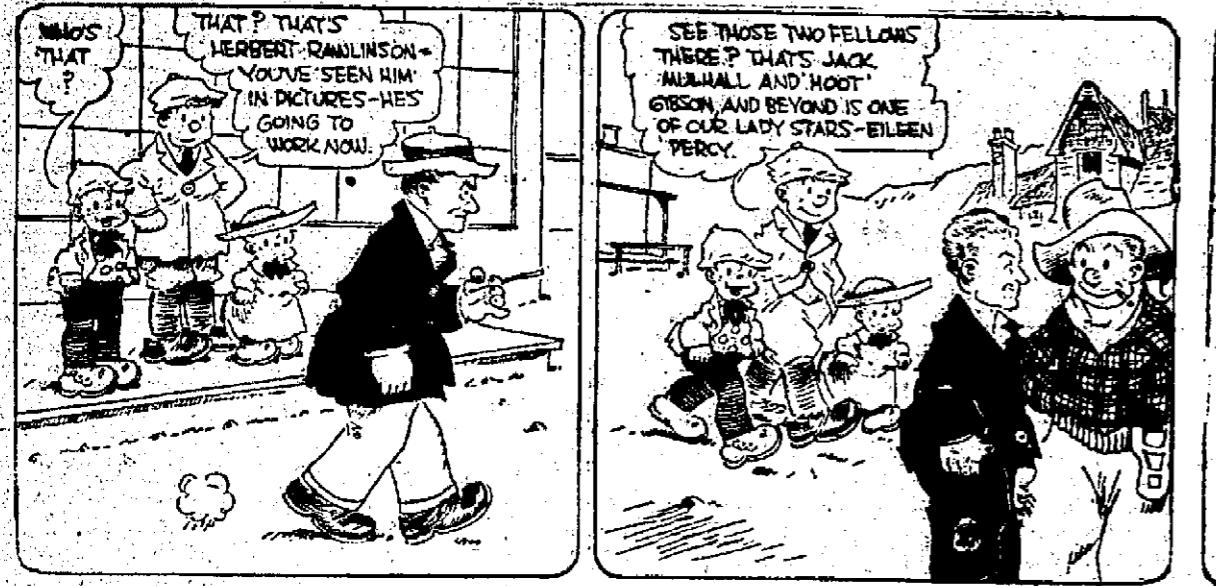


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